# WHAT IS NEW IN PDGENDER 2.0?

Male and female identification is essential for businesses and organizations. It allows you to send mail with a personal touch. Gender Coding also allows you to filter, map, and analyze your data based on this critical demographic. The new **pdGender 2.0** lets you accomplish this in ways not before possible on this scale.

A one-of-a-kind proprietary resource developed and tested in the field over more than 20 years, this package contains a large set of English, Spanish, and international first names and nicknames covering more than 200 languages along with a host of additional features. The full system even incorporates sophisticated fuzzy logic.

But what makes this gender coding database truly different are twenty gender coding fields filtered for languages, rare usage by one gender, and other criteria. When a name is one gender in Chinese and another in English, users can have the English identification applied. When a unisex name like Kimberly is called up, users can have the much more common feminine form applied.

In addition to its value for businesses and organizations working with lists of names, this product is also fully suitable for students, teachers, and researchers working in the fields of anthroponymy, onomatology, ethnology, linguistics, and related areas.

pdGender is available in Pro and Standard editions.

#### **PRO EDITION**

The *Pro* edition includes over 140,000 gender coding records with name type, origin, and languages of use, plus a sophisticated system of fuzzy logic allowing matches when there are typographical errors or special spelling methods are utilized.

#### STANDARD EDITION

The *Standard* edition has all features of the *Pro* version except the fuzzy logic records. However, the database is designed so users can add fuzzy logic to their system at a future time.

#### **COUNTS FROM PDGENDER 2.0**

The following counts are from *pdGender 2.0 Pro* and *Standard*. Counts include fuzzy matches and repeated records for each relationship with *pdNickname 2.0*. The *Standard* edition does not include fuzzy matches.

### PDGENDER 2.0 PRO

Name Type	Count
Base Names and Variations	118,451
Short Form Nicknames	6,456
Diminutives	11,022
Opposite Gender Forms (feminine and masculine)	5,874

TOTAL 141,803

#### PDGENDER 2.0 STANDARD

Name Type	Count
Base Names and Variations	50,794
Short Form Nicknames	2,600
Diminutives	3,830
Opposite Gender Forms (feminine and masculine)	2,942

TOTAL 60,166

## **FEATURES IN PDGENDER 2.0**

- (Pro, Standard) 60 thousand gender coding records
- (**Pro only**) 80 thousand fuzzy logic gender coding records
- (Pro, Standard) Compatible with fuzzy logic add-on packs
- (Pro, Standard) Designed to be fully compatible with pdNickname
- (Pro, Standard) Rare usages of unisex names by one gender are identified
- (Pro, Standard) Special filtered gender coding fields designed for:
  - International lists filtering archaic names
  - o International lists filtering archaic names and rare unisex usages
  - o International lists filtering archaic names, rare unisex usages, and diminutives
  - American lists filtering archaic names
  - o American lists filtering archaic names and rare unisex usages
  - o American lists filtering archaic names, rare unisex usages, and diminutives
  - English-dominated lists filtering archaic names
  - English-dominated lists filtering archaic names and rare unisex usages
  - o English-dominated lists filtering archaic names, rare unisex usages, and diminutives
  - o English-dominated lists filtering archaic names and rare unisex usages
  - Latino-dominated lists filtering archaic names
  - o Latino-dominated lists filtering archaic names and rare unisex usages
  - Latino-dominated lists filtering archaic names, rare unisex usages, and diminutives
  - French and English-dominated lists filtering archaic names
  - French and English-dominated lists filtering archaic names and rare unisex usages
  - o French and English-dominated lists filtering archaic names, rare unisex usages, and diminutives
  - Others filters
- (Pro, Standard) Includes gender without filters
- (Pro, Standard) Languages of origin and use are identified:
  - o English
  - o Spanish
  - o Basque
  - o Catalan
  - o Galician
  - o African American
  - Native American
  - o Hawaiian
  - o German

- o Irish
- o Scottish
- o Danish
- o Dutch
- o Norwegian
- o Swedish
- o Finnish
- o Icelandic
- o French
- o Norman French
- o French Provençal
- o Occitan
- o Italian
- o Portuguese
- o Hindi
- o Urdu
- o Bulgarian
- o Croatian
- o Czech
- Hungarian
- o Macedonian
- o Polish
- o Romanian
- o Russian
- o Serbian
- o Slovene
- o Pakistani
- o Turkish
- o Persian
- o Arabic
- o Japanese
- o Chinese
- Vietnamese
- o Khmer
- o Korean
- o Yiddish
- o Hebrew
- o Latin
- o Greek
- o Eastern African Ganda
- o Eastern African Swahili
- o Southern African Shona
- o Southern African Tswana
- o Southern African Xhosa
- o Southern African Zulu

- o Western African Akan
- o Western African Igbo
- o Western African Yoruba
- Many others languages
- (Pro, Standard) Excellent resource for students, teachers, and researchers:
  - Anthroponymy
  - Onomatology
  - o Ethnology
  - o Linguistics
  - Related fields
- (Pro, Standard) Unique name origins are identified:
  - Literary names
  - o Bynames
  - o Roman family names
  - o Roman cognomens
  - o Roman praenomens
  - Occupational surnames
  - o Patronymic surnames
  - o Toponymic (habitational) surnames
  - o Other surnames
- (Pro, Standard) Names originating in Antiquity or the Middle Ages are identified:
  - o Akkadian
  - o Ancient and Coptic Egyptian
  - Ancient Celtic
  - Ancient Germanic
  - o Ancient Macedonian
  - o Greek
  - Late Greek
  - o Hebrew
  - o Roman
  - o Late Roman
  - o Old English (Anglo-Saxon)
  - o Middle English
  - Old French
  - o Middle French
  - o Old Norman French
  - Old High German
  - o Middle High German
  - o Middle Low German
  - o Old Irish
  - o Middle Irish
  - o Old Norse
  - o Old Persian
  - o Middle Persian
  - o Old Spanish

- o Old Swedish
- o Old Welsh
- o Middle Welsh
- o Galician-Portuguese (Old Portuguese)
- Medieval Latin
- Medieval Slavic
- Many others
- (Pro, Standard) Archaic names are identified
- (Pro, Standard) Historic names are identified
- (Pro, Standard) Biblical and theological names are identified
- (Pro, Standard) Names from mythology are identified:
  - o Arthurian Legend
  - Egyptian Mythology
  - o Greek Mythology
  - Irish Mythology
  - o Judeo-Christian Legend
  - o Norse Mythology
  - o Roman Mythology
  - Many others mythologies
- (Pro, Standard) Comes in multiple file formats:
  - o Comma Delimited (CSV)
  - Fixed Length
  - o DBF
- (Pro, Standard) Full documentation
- (Pro, Standard) Perpetual Site License—allowing installation on all computers in the same building within a single company or organization
- (Pro, Standard) Available for immediate download

# **LAYOUT OF PDGENDER 2.0**

Below are the complete layout specifications and data definitions of all files provided with *pdGender*.

Each line below contains the following information: FIELD NUMBER: field position number. FIELD NAME: name of field. FIELD LENGTH: length of field. START POSITION: field starting position. END POSITION: field ending position. DESCRIPTION: data definition of field contents. All fields are alpha/numeric.

## LAYOUT OF PDGENDER (MAIN FILE)

Field Count: 53

Total Length: 162

Record Count: 141,803; Standard: 60,166

FIELD NUMBER	FIELD NAME	FIELD LENGTH	START POSITION	END POSITION	DESCRIPTION
1	PEACOCK_ID	9	1	9	Unique identifier for each record
2	ORIGIN	5	10	14	<b>Origin identification number:</b> Relates to the OID field in the origin lookup table
4	ТҮРЕ	15	15	29	Name type: Base Name Variation Short Form Diminutive Feminine Form Masculine Form
6	GENDER	1	30	30	Gender: M = Male F = Female
5	NAME	30	31	60	Name
6	RELATION	20	61	80	Relationship in the pdNickname database: Transcription Variation Short Form Diminutive Feminine Form Masculine Form NOTE: Ties directly to the pdNickname RELATION field
7	FUZZY	1	81	81	Fuzzy flag: 1 = Name is fuzzy
8	WORLD	1	82	82	International list gender without filters:  M = Male F = Female U = Unisex
9	WORLD_XA	1	83	83	International list gender filtering archaic names:  M = Male F = Female U = Unisex

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10	WORLD_XAR	1	84	84	International list gender filtering archaic names and rare
					unisex usages:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
11	WORLD_XARD	1	85	85	International list gender filtering archaic names, rare unisex
	_				usages, and diminutives:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
12	LICA VA	1	0.0	0.0	
12	USA_XA	1	86	86	American list gender filtering archaic names:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
13	USA_XAR	1	87	87	American list gender filtering archaic names and rare unisex
					usages:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
14	USA_XARD	1	88	88	American list gender filtering archaic names, rare unisex
	00.1_7.1.1.12	-	00	00	usages, and diminutives:
					M = Male
					F = Female
	_				U = Unisex
15	ENG_XA	1	89	89	English-dominated list gender filtering archaic names:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
16	ENG_XAR	1	90	90	English-dominated list gender filtering archaic names and
	_				rare unisex usages:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
17	ENG_XARD	1	91	91	English-dominated list gender filtering archaic names, rare
17	LING_XAND	1	91	91	
					unisex usages, and diminutives:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
18	ENG_XAV	1	92	92	English-dominated list gender filtering archaic names and
					very rare unisex usages:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
19	LAT_XA	1	93	93	Latino-dominated list gender filtering archaic names:
		-	33		M = Male
					F = Female
20	LAT VAS		2.	2.	U = Unisex
20	LAT_XAR	1	94	94	Latino-dominated list gender filtering archaic names and rare
					unisex usages:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
21	LAT_XAD	1	95	95	Latino-dominated list gender filtering archaic names, rare
	_				unisex usages, and diminutives:
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex

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22	FR_EN_XA	1	96	96	French and English-dominated list gender filtering archaic
					names (French receives priority over English):
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
23	FR_EN_XAR	1	97	97	French and English-dominated list gender filtering archaic
					names and rare unisex usages (French receives priority over
					English):
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
24	FR_EN_XAD	1	98	98	French and English-dominated list gender filtering archaic
'	111_211_7012	-	30	30	names, rare unisex usages, and diminutives (French receives
					priority over English):
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
25	EN ED VA	4	00	00	
25	EN_FR_XA	1	99	99	English and French-dominated list gender filtering archaic
					names (English receives priority over French):
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
26	EN_FR_XAR	1	100	100	English and French-dominated list gender filtering archaic
					names and rare unisex usages (English receives priority over
					French):
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
27	EN_FR_XAD	1	101	101	English and French-dominated list gender filtering archaic
					names, rare unisex usages, and diminutives (English receives
					priority over French):
					M = Male
					F = Female
					U = Unisex
28	LANGFLAG	1	102	102	Language flag:
					1 = At least one language field is filled
					A = Archaic
					Blank = Name is used in other languages
					<b>NOTE:</b> see the usage lookup table for other languages
29	USAGE	5	103	107	Usage identification number: Relates to the UID field in the
23	557.52	3	100	107	usage lookup table
30	BIBLE	1	108	108	Biblical and/or theological name:
30	SIDEL	1	100	100	B = Biblical
					T = Theological
					r = Theological R = Biblical and Theological
24	ENGLIST	1	100	100	Name is used in the English language:
31	ENGLISH	1	109	109	• • •
					E = English
					e = English – rare usage
					V = English – very rare usage
					A = Archaic
32	AFRAM	1	110	110	Name is an African American name:
					E = African American
					e = African American – rare usage
					A = Archaic
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33	NATAM	1	111	111	Name is a Native American or Hawaiian name:
					N = Native American
					n = Native American – rare usage
					H = Hawaiian
					h = Hawaiian – rare usage
					A = Archaic
34	SPANISH	1	112	112	Name is used in the Spanish language:
					S = Spanish
					s = Spanish – rare usage
					A = Archaic
35	BASQUE	1	113	113	Name is used in the Basque language:
					B = Basque
					b = Basque – rare usage
					A = Archaic
36	CATALAN	1	114	114	Name is used in the Catalan language:
					C = Catalan
					c = Catalan – rare usage
					A = Archaic
37	GALICIAN	1	115	115	Name is used in the Galician language:
					G = Galician
					g = Galician – rare usage
					A = Archaic
38	FRENCH	1	116	116	Name is used in the French language:
30		_	110	110	F = French
					f = French – rare usage
					N = Norman French
					n = Norman French – rare usage
					O = Occitan
					o = Occitan – rare usage
					P = French Provençal
					p = French Provençal – rare usage
					A = Archaic
39	GERMAN	1	117	117	Name is used in the German language:
33	GEMMAN	_	117	117	G = German
					g = German – rare usage
					g = German = rare usuge S = Swiss German
					s = Swiss German – rare usage
					S – Swiss German – rare usuge A = Archaic
40	HINDU	1	118	118	Name is used in the Hindustani language:
40	טטאוורו	1	119	119	
					H = Hindi h = Hindi = rare usage
					h = Hindi – rare usage U = Urdu
					u = Urdu – rare usage
44	DUCCIAN	1	110	110	A = Archaic
41	RUSSIAN	1	119	119	Name is used in the Russian language:
					R = Russian
					r = Russian – rare usage
40	DEDCIA:		420	100	A = Archaic
42	PERSIAN	1	120	120	Name is used in the Persian language:
		1			P = Persian
		1			p = Persian – rare usage
					A = Archaic
43	ARABIC	1	121	121	Name is used in the Arabic language:
					M = Arabic
					m = Arabic – rare usage
					A = Archaic

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44	JAPANESE	1	122	122	Name is used in the Japanese language:
					J = Japanese
					j = Japanese – rare usage
					A = Archaic
45	CHINESE	1	123	123	Name is used in the Chinese language:
					C = Chinese
					c = Chinese – rare usage
					A = Archaic
46	VIET	1	124	124	Name is used in the Vietnamese language:
					V = Vietnamese
					v = Vietnamese – rare usage
					A = Archaic
47	KOREAN	1	125	125	Name is used in the Korean language:
					K = Korean
					k = Korean – rare usage
					A = Archaic
48	YIDDISH	1	126	126	Name is used in the Yiddish language:
					Y = Yiddish
					y = Yiddish – rare usage
					A = Archaic
49	HEBREW	1	127	127	Name is used in the Hebrew language:
					H = Hebrew
			420	120	h = Hebrew – rare usage
50	LATIN	1	128	128	Name is used in the Latin language:
					L = Latin
51	GREEK	1	129	129	I = Latin - rare usage  Name is used in the Greek language:
31	GKEEK	1	123	129	G = Greek
					g = Greek – rare usage
52	МҮТН	3	130	132	Name is used in mythology:
32		J	200	101	A = Arthurian Legend
					E = Egyptian Mythology
					e = Egyptian Mythology (Anglicized)
					h = Egyptian Mythology (Hellenized)
					y = Egyptian Mythology (Latinized)
					G = Greek Mythology
					g = Greek Mythology (Latinized)
					I = Irish Mythology
					i = Irish Mythology (Latinized)
					J = Judeo-Christian Legend
					j = Judeo-Christian Legend (Anglicized)
					N = Norse Mythology
					R = Roman Mythology
					r = Roman Mythology (Anglicized)
					<b>NOTE:</b> See the usage lookup table for other uses in mythology
53	REALNAME	30	133		Real name of the fuzzy entry: Filled if FUZZY equals "1"

## LAYOUT OF ORIGIN (LOOKUP TABLE)

Field Count: 2

Total Length: 259

Record Count: 1,263

FIELD NUMBER	FIELD NAME	FIELD LENGTH	START POSITION	END POSITION	DESCRIPTION
1	OID	5	1	5	Unique identifier for each origin: Relates to the ORIGIN field in
					the main pdGender database
2	ORIGIN	254	6	259	Origin: Comma delimited list of languages involved in the
					origin of the name; also includes information about unique
					origins

## LAYOUT OF USAGE (LOOKUP TABLE)

Field Count: 3

Total Length: 260

Record Count: 2,083

FIELD NUMBER	FIELD NAME	FIELD LENGTH	START POSITION	END POSITION	DESCRIPTION
1	UID	5	1	5	Unique identifier for each usage: Relates to the USAGE field in
					the main pdGender database
2	USAGE	254	6	259	Usage: Comma delimited list of languages using the name;
					also includes biblical, theological, mythology, and literary uses
3	NOTINUSE	1	260	260	Not-in-use flag:
					X = Not used as a personal name; used only in the Bible,
					theology, mythology, or literature

## **IMPORTING DATA INTO YOUR SYSTEM**

*pdGender* databases are available in multiple file formats to insure compatibility with any database system. Each format contains the same data.

Available file formats are:

## **CSV-COMMA SEPARATED VALUES**

Files in Comma Separated Values (CSV) format (also known as Comma Delimited) separate fields with commas, and alpha/numeric character fields are usually delimited with double quotes (in case some of the field content includes commas). This format is the most commonly used. It is a native format for Microsoft Excel and is compatible with nearly all database management systems and spreadsheets.

#### TXT-FIXED LENGTH

Files in Fixed Length (TXT) format (also known as Standard Data Format or SDF) use constant field positions and lengths for all records. In other words, each field starts and ends at the same place in the text file and each record is on a separate line. While not as popular as comma separated values, this format is preferred by many due to its input precision and is widely used to transfer data between different software programs. It is compatible with most database management systems and spreadsheets.

#### **DBF-DATABASE**

Files in DBF database format (also known as xBase) are native to Microsoft FoxPro and Visual FoxPro, dataBased Intelligence dBase, Alaska Software XBase++, Apollo Database Engine, Apycom Software DBFView, Astersoft DBF Manager, DS-Datasoft Visual DBU, Elsoft DBF Commander, GrafX Software Clipper and Vulcan.NET, Multisoft FlagShip, Recital Software Recital, Software Perspectives Cule.Net, and xHarbour.com xHarbour. They are also compatible with any database management system that can import the DBF (xBase) format, such as Microsoft Access, Microsoft SQL Server, and numerous others.

#### CHARACTER SET

The ANSI character set is utilized for all database records. This includes ASCII values 0 to 127 and extended values 128 to 255. These are also known as the extended Latin alphabet. Some users may needs to configure their database system to import the extended values. In many cases the option will be labeled the "Latin-1" character set.

## **COMPATIBILITY**

To ensure compatibility with any operating system and database platform, *pdGender* is provided in multiple file formats and utilizes only the ANSI character set (ASCII values 0 to 127 and extended values 128 to 255).

#### USING PDGENDER 2.0 WITH PDNICKNAME 2.0

pdGender and pdNickname make excellent partners. They have been developed to be fully compatible and are comprised of the same set of names. For every name, gender, origin, usage, and relationship type in the pdNickname database, there is a corresponding record in the pdGender database linked by an identification number. The names in pdGender Pro are in pdNickname Pro, and the names in pdGender Standard are in pdNickname Standard.

Review the product documentation for more information.

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